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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PLACING AN INSERTION POINT IN

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action of April 23, 2003, said period of response being extended from July 23, 2003 to September 23, 2003.

Our check in the amount of \$410.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

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